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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD OF EXPANDING TYPES OF SYNCHRONOUS MOTORS AND SYNCHRONOUS MOTORS PRODUCED BY THE METHOD

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